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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)				Docket No. 70457-31	
In Re Application Of: Dominique GIORGI et al.					
Application No. 10/540,493	Filing Date June 24, 2005	Examiner Robert B. Mondesi	Customer No. 35161	Group Art Unit 1652	Confirmation No. 7207
Invention: NOVEL CENTROSOME-ASSOCIATED PROTEIN AND APPLICATIONS THEREOF					
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u></p> <p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>June 20, 2007</u> in the above-identified application. <i>Date</i></p> <p>The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months</p> <p>from: <u>September 20, 2007</u> until: <u>October 20, 2007 (weekend)</u> <i>Date</i> <i>Date</i></p> <p>The fee for the extension of time is \$120 and is to be paid as follows:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-1061</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 04-1061</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-end;"><div style="text-align: center;"> <i>Signature</i></div><div style="text-align: right;">Dated: October 22, 2007</div></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 20px;"><p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on</p><p style="text-align: center;">10/23/2007 SZEWDIE1 00000147 041061 10540493 <i>(Date)</i></p><p style="text-align: center;">01 FC:1251 120.00 DA</p><p style="text-align: center;">_____ <i>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></p><p style="text-align: center;">_____ <i>Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></p></div>					

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